

Docket No.: 057454-0333



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Akira UTSUMI, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 7891
Application No.: 10/050,966	:	Group Art Unit: 2615
Filed: January 22, 2002	:	Examiner: Gevell V. Selby
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OBJECT RECOGNITION	:	

STATUS INQUIRY

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on January 22, 2002. Since more than three and one-half years have elapsed since that date, and no action has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application. It is noted that the Official Gazette indicates applications filed on or before March 8, 2002 in the above-assigned Group Art Unit should have received an action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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